Lot 3

12–13 Dudley Street, Wolverhampton, West Midlands WV1 3EY \*Guide: £1,100,000+ Over 13 years unexpired to Loungers UK Ltd with no breaks 8 week completion



# SITUATION

Occupying a prime position in the heart of this pedestrianised City Centre, close to the junction with Queen Street, and amongst such multiple retailers as **Marks & Spencer**, **Boots**, **Holland & Barrett**, **McDonald's**, **Clarks**, **B&M Bargains** and many others.

The City of Wolverhampton is located approximately 12 miles northwest of Birmingham city centre and enjoys good road links via the M6 (Junction 10) and M54 (Junction 2).

# PROPERTY

A mid-terrace building comprising a fashionable Large Ground Floor Café/Restaurant/Bar with an Additional Substantial Seating Area at first floor level (see Note 1). In addition, the property benefits from a rear yard that can also be accessed via Castle Yard.

# ACCOMMODATION

# Ground Floor Café/Restaurant/Bar

| Gross Frontage          | 37'9"                            |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Internal Width          | 30'6" (widening to 39'11")       |
| Built Depth             | 89'8"                            |
| Area                    | Approx. 2,582 sq ft <sup>1</sup> |
| First Floor             |                                  |
| Additional Seating Area | Approx. 1,565 sq ft              |
| Store Area              | Approx. 800 sq ft                |
| Male & Female WCs       |                                  |
|                         |                                  |

Approx. 4,947 sq ft

**Total Area** 

# VAT is applicable to this Lot

#### FREEHOLD

# TENANCY

The entire property is let on a full repairing and insuring lease to **Loungers UK Limited (see Tenant Profile)** for a term of 15 years from 1st April 2020 at a current rent of **£75,000 per annum** exclusive.

#### Rent Reviews 2025 and 2030

#### **TENANT PROFILE**

Loungers UK Limited is part of the Lounges Group which opened its first branch in Bristol in 2002 and now operates from 168 sites (as at April 2021) comprising 138 Lounges and 30 Cosy Clubs. The Group plans 25 new site openings per year. Since reopening fully on 17 May 2021 the Group has achieved like for like sales growth of +23.7% (versus the same period in 2019). Visit: www.loungers.co.uk.

Note 1: We understand the tenants have spent circa £1 million on the fit-out of the property which was completed in April 2021.

Note 2: The Property was previously let to Top Shop/Top Man Properties Ltd for £125,000 p.a.

Note 3: There is an Electricity Sub-Station on part of the rear yard.



# **£75,000** per annum

The Surveyors dealing with this property are **Steven Grossman** and **Jonathan Ross** 

The successful Buyer will be liable to pay the Auctioneers an administration fee of £1,000 (including VAT) upon exchange of contracts \*Refer to points 9 and 10 in the 'Notice to all Bidders'

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